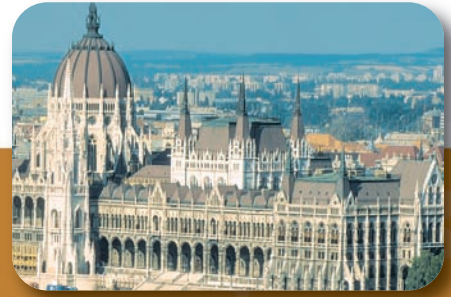


# ENSEMBLE®

## Inspired Journeys



### majestic treasures

#### on location with ANDREA GOCZO MAGYAR

This lifelong Budapest resident and expert on Hungarian history will charm you with her extraordinary knowledge of this city – much of which was designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1987. Andrea will host a series of exclusive pre-cruise events that will reveal the breadth of *Buda* and *Pest* – and how they became a single sparkling metropolis across the Danube.

For those who long to explore *Old World* Europe and its diverse cultures, architecture, fine food and wine, and music – *Majestic Treasures along the Enchanting Danube* – is an Ensemble® Inspired Journey custom-designed for you. This land and cruise river adventure takes you from one vibrant river port [Budapest] to another [Passau] and includes two pre-cruise nights in Hungary's capital accompanied by an on-location expert and lifelong Budapest resident. Discover why the Danube – and this Ensemble® Inspired Journey – define enchantment!

#### INSPIRED HIGHLIGHTS before you sail

Two nights pre-cruise at the five-star  
Kempinski Hotel Corvinus

Complimentary spa service at  
Kempinski Hotel Corvinus

Private tours of Hapsburg treasures,  
medieval castles & Communist-era sites

Dinner at the famous Gundel Restaurant

Private cooking lesson with a taste of  
authentic Hungarian goulash

Brilliant display of horsemanship at the  
Lázár Equestrian Park



#### INSPIRED HIGHLIGHTS during your cruise

Seven nights aboard the brand-new  
River Beatrice in a riverview stateroom

All meals & entertainment onboard

Complimentary wine, beer & soft drinks  
served during dinner

Private cocktail party & dinner al fresco

Six excursions ashore with expert guides

Ensemble® Experience concert in Vienna

#### Majestic Treasures along the Enchanting Danube

June 17-27, 2010

Discover Old World Europe – along its beloved Danube River – with two nights in Budapest at the elegant Kempinski Hotel Corvinus followed by seven nights aboard Uniworld's brand-new *River Beatrice* to Germany's Passau.

#### DAY 1 DEPART FOR BUDAPEST

Thursday, June 17

Fly overnight to this royal Hungarian capital. The city on the right bank – *Buda* – and its *Óbuda* [which means “Old Buda”] united with the left-bank metropolis of *Pest* in 1873 to form the grand city we know as “Budapest.” Its rich history began with a first millennium Celtic settlement called it *Ak-Ink* [Abundant Water] and was later occupied by the Romans.

#### DAY 2 ARRIVE IN BUDAPEST

Friday, June 18

Your flight arrives this morning at Ferihegy International Airport – *Ferihegyi Nemzetközi Repülőtér*. Enjoy a luxury transfer to towering Kempinski Hotel Corvinus. This modern hotel boasts 335 beautifully appointed rooms. Take advantage of your complimentary treatment at the Asian-accented Kempinski SPA: It is graced with hand-crafted furniture from Indonesia and China, and features therapies inspired by ancient massage practices. Dine at your leisure this evening at the hotel's Bistro Jardin – savor *à la carte* Hungarian specialities. *Dinner*

#### DAY 3 BUDAPEST

Saturday, June 19

Today, discover the beauty of *Buda*: Cross Széchenyi Chain Bridge [the city's first span across the Danube, it joins *Buda* to *Pest*] to the rise of the Castle District, whose first royal residence was constructed in the 13th century by King Béla IV. The southern wing of the complex houses the Budapest History Museum and Hungarian National Gallery. From the district's heart rises Matthias Church – coronation site of Hungary's kings since 1309. Officially the Church of Our Lady, it is popularly referred to as Matthias after the beloved 15th-century King Matthias Corvinus. Castle “hill” is also home to the *Halászbástya* [Fisherman's Bastion]. Enjoy the panorama of Duna, Margaret Island, and *Pest* from its towers [the seven towers represent the seven Magyar tribes that settled here in 896]. Then, it is a short drive to the *Pest*-side town of Szentendre, home to generations of Hungarian artists. After a private cooking lesson and fabulous “goulash” lunch, visit the shops and galleries. Tonight's dinner at *Gundel Étterem* will be divine: The restaurant – founded in 1894 and reopened in 1992 under George Lang and Ronald Lauder – is adored by Budapest society. *Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner*

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**RIVER BEATRICE**

with two nights in Budapest at the Kempinski Hotel Corvinus and seven nights sailing the Danube River

**June 17-27, 2010**

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| <b>Category 3</b>    | <b>\$4,139</b>   |
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\* Based on double occupancy. Exclusive of air transportation – internationally and/or in the Continental U.S. – unless otherwise noted. Port charges of \$98 per person as well as government fees and taxes are additional.



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**DAY 4 BUDAPEST / BOARD RIVER BEATRICE**

Sunday, June 20

While *Buda* is hilly, *Pest* is rather flat, and is the economic and political hub. Begin with a guided tour of *Országház* [Hungarian Parliament] – seat of the National Assembly and home to the crown jewels. Continue on to *circa* 1850 Great Dohány Street Synagogue: It can hold nearly 3,000 worshippers! A drive along iconic *Andrássy Avenue* – with its neo-Renaissance palaces – brings you to *Hero's Square* and the *Millennium Memorial*, whose carved statues include the leaders of the seven founding tribes. A private organ concert at *Vajdahunyad Castle* is your prelude to embarking *River Beatrice*. *Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner*

**DAY 5 BUDAPEST**

Monday, June 21

A cruise aboard the deluxe *River Beatrice* is a fabulous way to explore the Danube. Awake in your lavishly appointed stateroom with made-to-order *English Savoir™* beds. Breakfast on board precedes a visit to the *Lázár Equestrian Park* for a day of exhibitions, competitions, dining ... and Gypsy music! The park was founded by brothers *Vilmos* and *Zoltán Lázár* – champion horsemen. Its two grand stables are home to mainly royal Habsburg-breed *Lipica* horses. This evening, enjoy the *Captain's Welcome Dinner*. *Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner*

**DAY 6 CRUISE THE DANUBE / VIENNA**

Tuesday, June 22

After your extensive visit to Budapest, a day on the world's most enchanting river is a perfect respite. Relax on the *Sun Deck* as *River Beatrice* meanders through a series of locks, along the shores of *Slovakia*, and under a succession of bridges en route to the imperial city of *Vienna*. Enjoy an informative lecture – *Austria's History in the Context of the House of Habsburg* – between photo snaps. Arrive in *Vienna* early this evening and step ashore for your *Ensemble® Experience*: a performance of works by *Mozart* and *Strauss*. *Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner*

**DAY 7 VIENNA**

Wednesday, June 23

*Vienna* is a treasure trove of secular and sacred gems, such as *St. Stephen's Cathedral* and the stately *Ringstrasse*. After a panoramic overview, stroll from the *Hofburg* to *St. Stephen's*. Then visit the *Baroque State Hall* of the *Austrian National Library* – said to be the most beautiful library room in the world. *Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner*

**DAY 8 DÜRNSTEIN / CRUISE WACHAU VALLEY / MELK**

Thursday, June 24

Awaken in the tiny *Baroque* village of *Dürnstein*, and visit *Domäne Wachau* for a tasting of the famous *Wachau Valley Rieslings*. This quality-oriented cooperative is deeply rooted in the *Wachau* region and its members cultivate about 30% of the entire *Wachau* vineyard area. Enjoy a leisurely exploration of this charming village before departing for *Melk*. Cruise vineyard-rich, *UNESCO*-designated *Wachau Valley*, one of the most beautiful river valleys in *Europe*, before arriving in *Melk*. Tour *Melk's 900-year-old Benedictine abbey*, a masterpiece of *Baroque* art and architecture, perched on a cliff high above the *Danube*. *Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner*

**DAY 9 LINZ [SALZBURG]**

Friday, June 25

Today's adventure takes you to *Salzburg* – known for its well-preserved medieval town center and musical heritage. During your guided walking tour, marvel at the 15th-century cathedral; stroll the busy shopping street, *Getreidegasse*, where you will pass the birthplace and childhood home of *Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart*; and admire the *Mirabellgarten*, featured in the *Academy Award*-winning film *The Sound of Music*. *Breakfast/Dinner*

**DAY 10 PASSAU**

Saturday, June 26

Situated at the confluence of three rivers, *Passau's* wealth through trade is reflected in its simply stunning medieval merchants' houses. A stroll along winding streets and narrow alleyways leads us to *St. Stephan's Cathedral* for an organ concert on *Europe's largest pipe organ*. This evening's onboard festivities include the *Captain's Farewell Dinner*. *Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner*

**DAY 11 PASSAU / HOME**

Sunday, June 27

Even magical adventures come to a close! Transfer to *Munich's airport* for your flight. *Breakfast*

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